



**Ohio Speech and Hearing Professionals Board
77 South High Street, 16th Floor
Columbus, OH 43215**

Board Meeting Minutes of Wednesday, August 31, 2022

The Regular Business Meeting was called to order at 9:30 a.m. by Board President, Tammy H. Brown, held at 77 South High Street, Columbus, OH 43215, 31st Floor – Board Room.

Board Officers and Members – Roll Call:

Tammy H. Brown, M.A., CCC-A, Audiology Board Member and Board President
Carrie L. Spangler, Au.D., CCC-A, Audiology Board Member and Board Secretary

Lisa Dodge Burton, Public Member
Timothy A. Cross, H.A.S., Hearing Aid Specialist Board Member
Carol Hofbauer, M.S., CCC-SLP, Speech-Language Pathology Board Member
Nancy Mills, Au.D., Audiology Board Member
Michael R. Pratt, H.A.S., Hearing Aid Specialist Board Member

Excused Absences:

Steven M. Griffin, M.A., CCC-SLP, Speech-Language Pathology Board Member
Stephen M. White, Esq., Public Member

Also Present:

Gregg B. Thornton, Executive Director
Connie J. Allen, Board Investigator
Crystal Richie, Principal Assistant Attorney General

WELCOME NEW BOARD MEMBERS

Ms. Brown welcomed new board members, Carol Hofbauer and Timothy Cross, who were recently appointed. Everyone in attendance introduced themselves.

AGENDA

The agenda for the August 31, 2022, regular board meeting was presented and reviewed. The Executive Director clarified that the meeting date referenced on the Agenda would be corrected to reflect the date posted on the board's website which was August 31, 2022.

Motion #1

Dr. Mills moved to accept the agenda. Dr. Spangler seconded the motion. The motion passed unanimously.

MINUTES

The minutes of the May 17, 2022 board meetings were reviewed.

Motion #2

Mr. Cross moved to accept the minutes of the May 17, 2022 board meeting. Dr. Spangler seconded the motion. The motion passed unanimously.

BOARD PRESIDENT'S COMMENTS

Tammy Brown welcomed everyone to the Board. She also thanked the board staff for their teamwork and efficiencies.

EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR'S REPORT

Mr. Thornton submitted a written report of significant activities occurring since the last Board meeting. He provided updates regarding:

- Significant meetings, presentations, and events
- Legislative and media contacts
- Year-to-date revenue and expenditures for FY2022 and FY2023
- Significant legislation
- ASLP-IC Interstate Compact
- Ohio Ethics Commission – Annual Ethics for Board Members and Staff

ASSISTANT ATTORNEY GENERAL'S REPORT

Principal Assistant Attorney General Crystal Richie indicated there were no legal issues or updates involving the Board.

LICENSURE REPORT – Carrie Spangler**A. License Review****Motion #3**

Dr. Spangler moved to ratify the Audiology, Hearing Aid Dealers, Hearing Aid Fitters, Hearing Aid Satellites, Conditional Speech-Language Pathology, Speech-Language Pathology, Aides, and Trainee Permit licenses granted by the Executive Director since the last Board Meeting. Ms. Hofbauer seconded the motion. The motion passed unanimously.

License: Number	Issue Date	Applicant Full Name
A.02372	5/17/2022	Sydney Marie Ruffini
A.02373	5/17/2022	Holly Yako
A.02374	5/17/2022	Meredith Kromer-Edwards
A.02375	5/17/2022	Sarah Elizabeth Ruwe
A.02376	5/17/2022	Branson Reagan
A.02377	5/23/2022	Ash Aesram
A.02378	5/23/2022	Alyse Nicole Ramirez
A.02379	5/23/2022	Samantha Dawn Mogan
A.02380	5/23/2022	Alicia Rose Gonzalez

A.02381	5/23/2022	Alex Belinsky
A.02382	6/1/2022	Benjamin David Wilkinson
A.02383	6/1/2022	Stephanie Rose Noeller
A.02384	6/1/2022	Meghan Fuller
A.02385	6/1/2022	David Carl Byrne
A.02386	6/2/2022	Gretchen Elizabeth Spencer
A.02387	6/2/2022	Alivia Marie Manlet
A.02388	6/2/2022	Paige Maria Wulliger
A.02389	6/7/2022	Michelle Marie Mattingly
A.02390	6/7/2022	Allison Marie Costello
A.02391	6/7/2022	James Thomas Brand
A.02392	6/7/2022	Nicole Marie Smith
A.02393	6/7/2022	Evalena Renee Behr
A.02394	6/14/2022	Julie Link
A.02395	6/14/2022	Marie Rowe
A.02396	6/21/2022	Kristyn Wypych Tramel
A.02397	6/22/2022	Nura Ali
A.02398	6/22/2022	Emily Claire Kiser
A.02399	7/6/2022	Lauren Rene Ciemniecki
A.02400	7/7/2022	Troy Donnie Hale
A.02401	7/7/2022	MaryAnn Melissa Swisshelm
A.02402	7/7/2022	Jennifer Anfinson
A.02403	7/11/2022	Lianna Duchardt
A.02404	7/18/2022	Lottie Rotterman
A.02405	7/21/2022	Hayley J. Kosmatka
A.02406	7/25/2022	Sarabeth Meagan Mills-Wolf
AIDE.10151-A	6/23/2022	Jill A Slish-Barnett
AIDE.10152-A	7/7/2022	Madison Leigh Wilson
AIDE.10153-A	7/7/2022	Teresa Gingold
COND.20221966-SP	5/17/2022	Shelby Celine Wilburn
COND.20221967-SP	5/17/2022	Bailey Anne Wills
COND.20221968-SP	5/17/2022	McKenzie Ellen Pruitt
COND.20221969-SP	5/17/2022	Karina Kennedy
COND.20221970-SP	5/17/2022	Cindy Jean Stetler
COND.20221971-SP	5/17/2022	Christina Beltavski
COND.20221972-SP	5/17/2022	Krysta Jean Angel
COND.20221973-SP	5/17/2022	Alexandra Marie Georges
COND.20221974-SP	5/17/2022	Miranda Leigh Cox
COND.20221975-SP	5/17/2022	Brianna Lynae Wicker
COND.20221976-SP	5/17/2022	Paige Elizabeth Mobley
COND.20221977-SP	5/17/2022	Lauren Ashley Jeunnette
COND.20221978-SP	5/17/2022	Bethany Marie Jacobs
COND.20221979-SP	5/17/2022	Hannah Shushtari Ruddock
COND.20221980-SP	5/17/2022	Alexis Leigh Semanik
COND.20221981-SP	5/17/2022	Kelsey L. Gillmor
COND.20221982-SP	5/17/2022	Matthew Britton
COND.20221983-SP	5/17/2022	Carly Jean Baker
COND.20221984-SP	5/17/2022	Mikayla L Ryan
COND.20221985-SP	5/17/2022	Kellis Stahl
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COND.20221987-SP	5/17/2022	Madeline Ann Oskowski
COND.20221988-SP	5/17/2022	Steven Ashley Thellmann

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COND.20221991-SP	5/17/2022	Kaleigh Knop
COND.20221992-SP	5/17/2022	Sara Marie Bruns
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COND.20221999-SP	5/23/2022	Kylie Elizabeth Powell
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COND.20222002-SP	5/23/2022	Monica Suzanne Grauer
COND.20222003-SP	5/23/2022	Katherine Inez Tranor
COND.20222004-SP	5/23/2022	Abbey Knapp
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SP.14998	7/6/2022	Karly Leona Landis
SP.14999	7/6/2022	Anne Canent
SP.15000	7/6/2022	Megan Marie Heldman
SP.15001	7/6/2022	Glenda Hopkins
SP.15002	7/6/2022	Emily Ann Washington
SP.15003	7/6/2022	Arianna Saenz
SP.15004	7/6/2022	Mikayla Joyce Sievert
SP.15005	7/6/2022	Savannah Hawley
SP.15006	7/6/2022	Anna Koscielicki
SP.15007	7/6/2022	Kiera Michele Gran
SP.15008	7/6/2022	Courtney L Kendall
SP.15009	7/6/2022	Taylor Marie Bishop
SP.15010	7/6/2022	Alexa Brin Carlson
SP.15011	7/6/2022	Dana Lee Douglas
SP.15012	7/6/2022	Ellyn Palmer Bernard
SP.15013	7/6/2022	Kiera Elise Panico
SP.15014	7/6/2022	Madelyn Joelle Eisenhour
SP.15015	7/6/2022	Alyssa Leigh Weisman
SP.15016	7/7/2022	Henry Maxson Newberg
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SP.15018	7/7/2022	Justine Marie O'Flanagan
SP.15019	7/7/2022	Anna V Abboud
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SP.15022	7/7/2022	Rebecca Anne Highfill
SP.15023	7/7/2022	Carrie Gray
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SP.15027	7/8/2022	Emily Josephine Clark
SP.15028	7/8/2022	Barbara Holland Bobal
SP.15029	7/10/2022	Rachel Ann Lambert
SP.15030	7/10/2022	Erica N Hamner
SP.15031	7/10/2022	Melina A Esquivel
SP.15032	7/10/2022	Kayla Noel Horning
SP.15033	7/11/2022	Megan Nerina O'Neil
SP.15034	7/11/2022	Brittany Renee Fitzgerald
SP.15035	7/12/2022	Sarah-Jane Marie Sambor
SP.15036	7/13/2022	Jensen Nichole Sirofchuck
SP.15037	7/13/2022	Zachary A Haines
SP.15038	7/13/2022	Sarah Bauman Karipides
SP.15039	7/14/2022	Madeline Francis Hiner
SP.15040	7/18/2022	Lillian Rose Klebenow
SP.15041	7/18/2022	Rosangela Tiza Calderon

SP.15042	7/18/2022	Andrea Megan Hua Zeng
SP.15043	7/18/2022	Lauren Elizabeth May
SP.15044	7/18/2022	Antionette Marie Jones
SP.15045	7/18/2022	Martina Louise Harrington
SP.15046	7/18/2022	Jill Anderson Williams
SP.15047	7/18/2022	Lauren Thompson
SP.15048	7/18/2022	Marshel Ann Johnson Fall
SP.15049	7/18/2022	Theresa Nicole Beekman
SP.15050	7/19/2022	Madeline Durante
SP.15051	7/20/2022	Abbie Koenig
SP.15052	7/20/2022	Ellora Gallo
SP.15053	7/21/2022	Jessica Melaragno
SP.15054	7/21/2022	Jillian Elizabeth Strmac
SP.15055	7/21/2022	Amanda Zbinovec
SP.15056	7/21/2022	Emily Wilson
SP.15057	7/21/2022	Kaitlyn Marie Kolano
SP.15058	7/21/2022	Nicholas Andrew May
SP.15059	7/21/2022	Nadina Haiduc
SP.15060	7/21/2022	Morgan Elizabeth Dirr
SP.15061	7/22/2022	Kathleen Michelle McCarthy
SP.15062	7/22/2022	Zoey Lehrer
SP.15063	7/22/2022	Emilia Isabel Pichardo
SP.15064	7/22/2022	Lynzie Christine Thorpe
SP.15065	7/22/2022	Seth Nokes Kershisnik
		Kimberlyn Renee Cooper-
		Miller
SP.15066	7/25/2022	
SP.15067	7/27/2022	Gregory Zajac
SP.15068	7/29/2022	Kelsey A McHale
SP.15069	8/1/2022	Krystie Balcer
SP.15070	8/1/2022	Kristina Fifer
SP.15071	8/2/2022	Katherine Ross
SP.15072	8/2/2022	Purnima Iyer
SP.15073	8/2/2022	Kodie Mateer
SP.15074	8/3/2022	Lacey Lind
SP.15075	8/3/2022	Nicole Johnson
SP.15076	8/3/2022	Jenna King
SP.15077	8/3/2022	Megan Lee Mitchell
SP.15078	8/5/2022	Brittany Fangman
SP.15079	8/8/2022	Andrea L Back
TEMP.00051-SP	6/1/2022	Dana Stewart
TP.11302	5/26/2022	Gabrial Ann Ball
TP.11303	5/26/2022	Jordine Gabriella Saylor
TP.11304	6/8/2022	Ian Martin
TP.11305	6/23/2022	Sonja K Bruns
TP.11306	7/6/2022	Paige Brooklyn Young
TP.11307	7/7/2022	Jessica L. Wesaw

Audiology Aides

None

Speech-Language Pathology Aides

None

Licensure Applications

None

Special Applications

None

LICENSING SUMMARY

Audiology	1,156
Audiology Aide	90
Conditional Speech-Language Pathology	373
Dual – Audiology and Speech-Language	27
Hearing Aid Dealers	221
Hearing Aid Satellites	425
Hearing Aid Fitters	424
Inactive Audiology	45
Inactive Speech-Language Pathology	247
Speech-Language Pathology	8,423
Speech-Language Pathology Aide	5
Trainee Permit Holders	44
TOTAL	11,480

BOARD BUSINESS

A. FDA's Proposed Regulations on Over-the-Counter Hearing Aids

The Board discussed the U.S. Food and Drug Administration's final rule on Over-the-Counter Hearing Aids (OTCs) that was issued on August 15, 2022. Assistant Attorney General Richie indicated that she is in the process of reviewing the final rule to determine its impact on the Board's laws and rules. She plans to meet with the Board's Executive Director. The Board had further discussion about OTCs and will revisit this issue at its next meeting on October 25, 2022.

B. Executive Director's Annual Review

The Board President reported that the Executive Director's annual review for 2021 was finalized and noted that the Board recommended an increase in compensation for the Executive Director consistent with the Department of Administrative Services' (DAS) salary guidance for exempt state employees, effective July 1, 2022.

Motion #4

Dr. Mills moved to approve a three percent increase for the Executive Director that is supported by the Board's budget and consistent with DAS' salary guidance for exempt state employees, effective July 1, 2022. Ms. Hofbauer seconded the motion. The motion passes unanimously.

INVESTIGATIONS**A. EXECUTIVE SESSION****Motion #5**

Mr. Cross moved to enter Executive Session for the purpose of discussing investigation of charges or complaints against a licensee, regulated individual, or an applicant for the purpose of disciplinary action pursuant to R.C. §121.22.(G)(1), and which requires that such matters be kept confidential under R.C. §121.22(G)(5). Ms. Hofbauer seconded the motion, which passed by roll call vote as follows: Ms. Burton: Yes; Mr. Cross: Yes; Mr. Griffin: Absent; Ms. Hofbauer: Yes; Dr. Mills: Yes; Mr. Pratt: Yes; Dr. Spangler: Yes; Mr. White: Absent; and Ms. Brown: Yes

B. BOARD ACTIONS**New Cases**

The following three cases involve speech-language pathologists who Practiced Under an Expired License for More than 15 Days after the December 31, 2020 renewal deadline which was extended to July 1, 2021. They passed their 2019-20 Continuing Education Audit for Practice Under an Expired License. It is their first offense.

CO2021-15918

The licensee practiced 17 days of the 88 days expired. Their late renewal was effective September 27, 2021. They submitted their therapy hours to third party billing. The employer confirmed there were no reimbursements. Their license was issued June 2021.

CO2022-3845

The licensee practiced 103 days of 256 days expired. Reinstatement was effective March 15, 2022. Billing did not occur. Their license was issued May 2007.

CO2022-6003

The licensee practiced 86 days of 250 days expired. Reinstatement was effective March 8, 2022. Billing did not occur. Their license was issued June 2021.

Accordingly, the Investigative Review Group Committee recommends in case numbers CO2021-15918, CO2022-3845 and CO2022-6003 that the Board approve a Consent Agreement with the following terms and conditions and to close the cases upon the licensees accepting and completing the terms. If the licensees do not agree to the terms of their Consent Agreement, the Investigative Review Group recommends that the Board authorize a Notice of Opportunity for Hearing be issued:

- Reprimand;
- Acknowledge that payment of the Late Renewal \$120 (CO2021-15918) and Reinstatement \$200 (CO2022-3845 and CO2022-6003) fee was made;
- Pass the Boards' jurisprudence examination. The answers are due within 90 days from the effective date of the Consent Agreement;
- Complete two additional continuing education hours in the area of ethics due within 60 days from the effective date of the Consent Agreement. The two hours are not applicable towards the current biennium for renewal.

Previously Heard Cases

No cases previously heard are being presented today for Board final action.

The Board went into Executive Session at 10:35 a.m. and invited Board staff to remain in attendance. The Board also invited the Assistant Attorney General to remain in attendance.

The Board returned to Public Session at 10:57 a.m.

Motion #6

Ms. Hofbauer moved to accept the Investigative Review Group's recommendation in case numbers CO2021-15918, CO2022-3845 and CO2022-6003. Ms. Burton seconded the motion. Mr. Pratt abstained. The motion passed unanimously.

C. INVESTIGATIVE REPORT – Mrs. Allen**Since the last Board Meeting May 17, 2022**

OPENED Investigations		4
CLOSED Investigations		10
Current Open Investigations		107
Of the Current Open Investigations	Consumer Complaints	14
	Referral Complaints	93
Current Open Cases Due to Monitoring	Consent Agreement(s)	10
	Non-reportable Consent	2
	Adjudication Order(s)	0

Investigative Categories of the Current Open Investigations

Application Requirements Not Met	0
Billing Fraud	0
Continuing Education Violation and/or Self Report	85
Conviction	0
False or Misleading Advertisement	2
Falsified/Misleading Application	0
Illegal, Incompetent, or Habitually Negligent Practice	0
Impaired Practice	0
Misrepresentation of Credentials	0
Practicing Under an Expired License and CE Violation	1
Practice Under an Expired License and Supervision	0
Practicing Under an Expired/Inactive License	5
Renewal Issue	0
Supervised Professional Experience Violations	0
Unlicensed Practice	0
Unprofessional/Unethical Conduct	14

Sub-Categories – Unprofessional Conduct Investigations

Breach Insurance Contract	1
Documented Unrendered Services; Billing	3
Hearing Aide and or Fee issues	4

Inaccurate Documentation for non-clinical intervention	1
Non-Parental Consent to Conduct Assessment	1
Standard of Practice Issue	2
Student Services Not Met	1
Terminated from Employment	1

UPDATES SINCE THE LAST MEETING

Other Information, Enforcement Activities and/or Outcome of some of the previously closed cases:

- Educational Letters – 11
- License Verifications – 42 May18 – August 24, 2022

Previously Heard Cases

The following two cases involve a speech-language pathologist and an audiologist who failed their 2019-20 Random CE Audit (did not respond and/or report all CE hours by the December 15, 2021 deadline). They received their previously issued Notice of Opportunity for Hearing letter. At the May 17, 2022 meeting, the Board approved Consents for the two licensees in lieu of a hearing. The licensees signed their Consents. Upon completion of the terms e.g., jurisprudence examination and additional CE hours, the cases will be closed:

CO2021-19912	Erin Zemba, A.01929
CO2022-1219	Lindsay Arminio, SP.09124

Scheduled Hearings

August 31, 2022 11:00 a.m. – Goldman Hearing

CO2022-1056 Kimberly Sharp, IL.03367 – Failed 2019-20 Random CE Audit (did not report any CE hours and did not respond to all audit communications)

Continuing Education Audit 2019 – 2020

In August 2021, 460 licensees with an active license status were audited for their 2019-20 CE hours. The 460 comprise of ten percent audiologists, speech-language pathologists and hearing aid fitters, plus 17 prior disciplinary actions. Ninety-six percent of audits have been reviewed to completeness. The board member audits are also complete.

2022 Disciplinary Investigations Statistics to Date

Disciplinary Investigative Actions Taken

Hearings	0
Adjudication Orders	0
Consent Agreements	10
Consent Agreements Non-Reportable	2
Consent Agreement Surrender	3
Educational Letters	11
Referrals to Prosecutor	0
Referrals to Other Agencies	0

Category of Disciplinary Investigative Actions Taken to Date

Application Requirements Not Met	0
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Billing Fraud	0
Continuing Education Violation	6
Conviction – Disqualifying Offense	2
False or Misleading Advertisement	0
Falsified/Misleading Application	0
Illegal, Incompetent or Habitually Negligent Practice	0
Impaired Practice	0
Misrepresentation of Credentials	0
Practicing Under an Expired License and CE Violation	1
Practicing Under an Expired License and Supervision	0
Practicing Under Expired/Inactive License	8
Renewal Issue	1
Supervised Professional Experience Violations	0
Unlicensed Practice	0
Unprofessional/Unethical Conduct	7

Sub-Categories – Unprofessional/Unethical Conduct

Failure to Disclose disciplinary action by other Entity on original SHP application	1
Terminated from Employment	4
Transcript Late	1
SPE Supervisor Responsibilities	1

FORMAL DISCIPLINARY HEARING – CHAPTER 119 OHIO REVISE CODE

The Board conducted a disciplinary hearing in accordance with R.C. Chapter 119 and Goldman vs. State Medical Board in the matter of Kimberly Sharp, Hearing Aid Fitter, IL.03367; Case No. CO2022-1056.

The hearing was convened at 11:16 a.m. and concluded at 12:06 p.m.

The Board took a recess at 12:13 p.m. for the purpose of having quasi-judicial deliberations in the matter of Kimberly Sharp, Hearing Aid Fitter, IL.03367; Case No. CO2022-1056 and returned to public session at 12:24 p.m.

FINDINGS OF FACT – IN THE MATTER OF KIMBERLY SHARP, IL.03367; CASE NO. CO2022-1056

The Board issued the following findings of fact in the Matter of Kimberly Sharp, IL.03367; Case No. CO2022-1056:

1. Ms. Sharp is licensed by the Board as a hearing aid fitter, holding license number IL.03367, issued on June 8, 2018.
2. Ms. Sharp attested “Yes” on her 2021-2022 renewal application that she had or would have completed the continuing education requirements as required by Ohio Adm.Code Chapter 4747-1-11, by the December 31, 2020 renewal deadline, which was extended to July 1, 2021, per House Bill 404, due to the COVID-19 pandemic. Based upon her attestation that she had completed the continuing education requirements, the Board

renewed her license for the 2021-2022 practice biennium. She did not demonstrate or substantiate proof that she completed the continuing education requirements as required for her continuing education audit.

3. On November 15, 2021, the Board issued a Lawful Board Request letter to Ms. Sharp. The letter notified her that failure to comply with the lawful request within thirty days from the date of mailing of the lawful request letter may subject her to disciplinary action against her license. She did not submit proof of the required hours of continuing education and she did not pay the \$120 failed continuing education audit fee by the December 15, 2021 lawful letter deadline.
4. Ms. Sharp failed to respond to any audit communications from the Board and failed to demonstrate or substantiate proof that she completed the continuing education requirements for the 2019-2020 practice biennium.
5. The Board admitted State's Exhibits A through F into the record.

Motion #7

Dr. Mills moved to accept the Board's findings of fact. Mr. Cross seconded the motion. The board voted on the motion to accept the findings of fact by roll call as follows: Ms. Burton: Yes; Mr. Cross: Yes; Mr. Griffin: Absent; Ms. Hofbauer: Yes; Dr. Mills: Yes; Mr. Pratt: Abstained; Dr. Spangler: Yes; Mr. White: Absent; and Ms. Brown: Yes

CONCLUSIONS OF LAW – IN THE MATTER OF KIMBERLY SHARP, IL.03367; CASE NO. CO2022-1056

The Board issued the following conclusions of law in the Matter of Kimberly Sharp, IL.03367; Case No. CO2022-1056:

1. As to Count One in the Notice, Ms. Sharp's conduct is in violation of Ohio Rev. Code Sections 4747.06(B) and 4747.12(A)(16) and (19) and Ohio Adm.Code Section 4747-1-11(C)(6) and (F)(1), (3).
2. As to Count Two in the Notice, Ms. Sharp's conduct is in violation of Ohio Rev. Code Sections 4747.06(B) and 4747.12(A)(16) and (19) and Ohio Adm.Code Sections 4747-1-17(D), (E) and 4747-1-23(C)(1)(d)(ii).
3. As to Count Three in the Notice, Ms. Sharp's conduct is in violation of Ohio Rev. Code Section 4747.12(A)(16) and (19) and Ohio Adm.Code Section 4747-1-11(C)(1), (2), (7) and (F)(1), (3) and (G)(4).

Motion #8

Ms. Burton moved to accept the Board's conclusions of law. Ms. Hofbauer seconded the motion. The board voted on the motion to accept the conclusions of law by roll call as follows: Ms. Burton: Yes; Mr. Cross: Yes; Mr. Griffin: Absent; Ms. Hofbauer: Yes; Dr. Mills: Yes; Mr. Pratt: Abstained; Dr. Spangler: Yes; Mr. White: Absent; and Ms. Brown: Yes

ORDER – IN THE MATTER OF KIMBERLY SHARP, IL.03367; CASE NO. CO2022-1056

The Board issued the following order in the Matter of Kimberly Sharp, IL.03367; Case No. CO2022-1056:

1. Upon review of Exhibits A – F, review of the testimony of Investigator Connie Allen and based upon the Board's Findings of Fact and Conclusions of Law, the Board hereby REVOKES Ms. Sharp's license to practice as a hearing aid fitter, License No. IL.03367, in the state of Ohio.

Motion #9

Dr. Spangler moved to accept the Board's order. Dr. Mills seconded the motion. The board voted on the motion to accept the order by roll call as follows: Ms. Burton: Yes; Mr. Cross: Yes; Mr. Griffin: Absent; Ms. Hofbauer: Yes; Dr. Mills: Yes; Mr. Pratt: Abstained; Dr. Spangler: Yes; Mr. White: Absent; and Ms. Brown: Yes

CORRESPONDENCE

There was no correspondence discussed at the meeting.

OPEN FORUM FOR PUBLIC AND PROFESSIONAL ORGANIZATIONS

There were no members from the public or professional organizations in attendance.

MEMBER CONCERNS

There were no member concerns.

ADJOURNMENT

The meeting was adjourned at 12:31 p.m.



Tammy H. Brown, Board President

Date: October 25, 2022



Gregg B. Thornton, Executive Director

Date: October 25, 2022



Carrie L. Spangler, Board Secretary

Date: October 25, 2022